

News for School Communities



Physical Activity Calendars

OCTOBER

Click [NASPE's "Teacher Toolbox"](#) to enter and then "Calendar" to find them.

Thought of the Day

"An apple a day keeps the doctor away"
~Proverb



The Healthy Students Initiative would like to share grant opportunities, local events, and resources you can use in your school or home.



FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

* **LOWE'S [Toolbox for Education Grant Program](#)** supports school improvement projects at K-12 public schools. Priority will be given to grants that have a permanent impact in facility enhancement as well as landscaping/cleanup projects. Projects that encourage parent involvement and help build a stronger community spirit are encouraged.

APPLICATIONS DUE: October 15, 2013

* **AMERICAN ACADEMY OF DERMATOLOGY [Shade Structure Grant Program](#)** awards funding to public schools and non-profit organizations to install permanent shade structures for outdoor locations that are not protected from the sun, such as playgrounds, pools, or recreation spaces. The program is open to 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations that provide services, programs, and curricula to children and teenagers who are 18 and younger. Grants up to \$8,000.

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED BEGINNING: October 1, 2013

* **[CVS Caremark Community Grants](#)** -

CVS Caremark is committed to building healthier communities. Qualified organizations are eligible for grants up to \$5,000 for helping people achieve their best health.

APPLICATIONS DUE: October 31, 2013



Upcoming Events

[Walk this Way at Turtle Bay](#)

[October 5, 2013, 9am-3pm](#)

FREE admission, Fun Walk, Children's Activities, Food Demos, and fun for all ages

RESOURCES

- Want to get your students learning more? Then, get them moving more! Check out the great tools and resources created by another K-5 elementary school to get **more movement into the classrooms** and school day. Students who are more physically fit perform better in academics. Even short movement breaks make a big difference. <https://blogs.svvsd.org/rhes/>